Homegoing Celebration

Of

Rosie Lee Harmon

Sunrise
October 22,1943

Sunset
February 12,2009

Saturday, February 21, 2009
11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church, McKinney
401 W. Erwin Ave.
McKinney, TX 7506
Pastor Lee A. Edwards
Officiating

Rosie Lee Harmon

Rosie Lee Townsend-Harmon was born October 22, 1943 in Cleveland, Mississippi, to the union of Joseph and Eva Mae Townsend, whom preceded her in death.

Her family moved to Memphis, TN. Rosie gave her life to Christ at an early age at Carnegie Church of God in Christ, Memphis, TN. During her Christian walk of life she was a member of many different auxiliaries: as a Deaconess, Stewardess, President of the Women's Missionary Society, Usher Board, and sung in the choir.

She was Past Matron of the Rebekah Chapter #44, Golden Poppy Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, where she also served as secretary.

She attended Memphis City Schools and was a graduate of Booker T. Washington High School, Class of 1962. She attended Contra Costa College in San Pablo CA, as well as Oakland School of Arts.

She was united in Holy matrimony to Willard D. Harmon on May 18, 1962. From this union they were blessed with two children. In 1967 they moved their family to San Francisco, California.

Rosie began her career with the United States Postal Service as a Distribution Clerk at the Rincon Annex. When the BMC opened in Richmond in 1975, Rosie came over as a Parcel Post Distribution Clerk, after establishing herself as the fastest keyer on site. She quickly upgraded her status to a Lim/Rewrap Clerk, to Personnel Clerk, and then to the Finance office. Over a period of a few years her four co- workers passed away leaving her holding the bankbooks. She managed the entire finance office alone until the Oakland district took over that function. She retired after thirty- four years of loyal service.

Rosie departed this life on Thursday, February 12, 2009 at home with her devoted husband and family by her side.

Rosie is preceded in death by her beloved, brother: Robert Ball, two sisters: Dorothy Townsend-Myrick, Maple Townsend-Cobb and her brother-in-law Billy Earl Cobb. Rosie leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband Willard Harmon Sr., a son Willard Harmon Jr. (Monica) of The Colony, TX., a daughter Dana Harmon-Fudge of Celina, TX.; two sisters Mary Townsel (Robert), Lisa Martin (Mario) both of Memphis, TN.; two brothers Willie Ball of Palo Alto, CA., Joseph Townsend Jr. of Memphis, TN.; five grandchildren; Stephanie Cox (La Quincy) of Atlanta GA., Celia Harmon of Reno Nevada, William Clark, and Arianna Fudge of Frisco, TX and Robert Harmon of San Jose, CA. ; two great-grandchildren: Ashlei and La Quincy Cox ; one uncle Robert Townsel, one aunt: Mable Townsel; one sister-in-law Glenda Saulsberry (Eddie); one brother -in- law Milton Harmon (Louise) and a multitude of nephews, nieces, and cousins, caring friends.

Rosie & Family

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Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Musical Selection

Scripture (Old & New Testament)

Prayer

Musical Selection

Resolution (s)

Remarks (3 minutes)

Silent Reading of Obituary

Poem

Musical Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

Acknowledgements

We the family of Rosie Harmon, wish to express a heart-felt Thank You for sharing our grief, comforting us and joining in today's celebration of Rosie's life. We deeply appreciate you, our friends, for your prayers, cards, calls, visits and all the other acts of kindness that you have given during our loss. Each gesture means so much more thank you would ever know.

~The Family

Active Pallbearers

Rudy Williams
Charon Townsel
Alex Price Sr.
Donald Mc Night
Raji Hightower
Ernest Stevens

Honorary Pallbearers

Willard Harmon Jr.
Milton Harmon
Eddie Saulsberry
Arthur Wells
Andrew Mills
William Clark

Interment

Ridgeview Memorial Park
12130 C.R. 17
Frisco, TX 75035

Arrangements
Turrentine Jackson Morrow